

28. (New) A floral grouping display assembly, comprising:
a display surface;
a floral grouping having a bloom end and a stem end; and
a sheet of material formed to define a container in which the
floral grouping is disposed, the sheet of material being
releasably connected to the display surface to display
the floral grouping on the display surface so that
substantially the entire bloom end and stem end of the
floral grouping is visibly displayed on the display
surface.

29. (New) The floral grouping display assembly of claim 28
wherein the display surface is a pane of glass.

30. (New) The floral grouping display assembly of claim 28
wherein the display surface is a wall.

31. (New) The floral grouping display assembly of claim 28
wherein the display surface is a table top.

REMARKS

The drawings and specification have been amended to correct
typographical errors and/or inconsistencies between certain terms
in the specification and claims and to make the drawings
consistent with the specification. These amendments are submitted
herewith in redline for the Examiner's convenience. In addition,

VERSION OF CLAIMS WITH MARKINGS TO SHOWN CHANGES MADE

1. (Amended) A [material for wrapping an item so that the wrapped item can be displayed on a supporting surface, the material] floral grouping display assembly, comprising:

[at least one sheet of material having an upper surface, a lower surface and a first end;

a first bonding material on at least a portion of the upper surface; and

a second bonding material on at least a portion of the lower surface wherein the bonding material is adapted to releasably connect to the supporting surface].

a display surface;

a floral grouping having a bloom end and a stem end; and

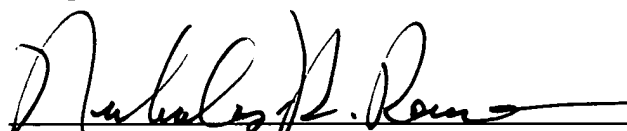
a sheet of material wrapped about at least a portion of the stem end of the floral grouping, the sheet of material being releasably connected to the display surface to display the floral grouping on the display surface so that substantially the entire length of the wrapped floral grouping is visibly displayed on the display surface.

a clean copy of the specification containing the requested amendments is submitted herewith. It is respectfully submitted that the proposed amendments to specification and drawings are proper, do not constitute new matter and will not create an additional burden on the Examiner. Therefore, it is respectfully requested that the amendments to the specification be entered and the corrections to the drawings be approved.

Claim 1 has been amended, claims 2-24 have been canceled, and claims 25-32 have been added.

Action on the merits of the claims now pending in the application is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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